

HOUSE BILL No. 1961

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 6-1.1-10-38; IC 23-7-7; IC 36-10-12.

Synopsis: Acquisition of historical sites by eminent domain. Relocates the following provisions in the Indiana Code from Title 23 to Title 36: (1) that cities and towns may acquire and hold battlegrounds or other historic sites for maintaining or improving them for historical purposes; (2) that title to property so acquired may be taken under eminent domain; and (3) that property so acquired is exempt from property taxation. Repeals a provision permitting nonprofit corporations to acquire property by eminent domain. Updates a cross reference to the repealed provision.

Effective: July 1, 1999.

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January 27, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Local Government.



Introduced

First Regular Session 111th General Assembly (1999)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1998 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 6-1.1-10-38 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 38. This chapter does
3 not contain all of the property tax exemption provisions. The property
4 taxation exemption provisions include but are not limited to the
5 following sections:
6 IC 4-20.5-14-3 IC 20-14-7-3
7 IC 4-20.5-19 IC 20-14-9-15
8 IC 5-1-4-26 IC 20-14-10-14
9 IC 6-1.1-10-5 IC 21-5-11-14
10 IC 8-10-1-27 IC 21-5-12-10
11 IC 8-23-7-31 ~~IC 23-7-7-3~~
12 IC 8-15-2-12 IC 23-14-70-23
13 IC 8-21-9-31 IC 36-1-10-18
14 IC 10-7-1-20 IC 36-7-14-37
15 IC 10-7-2-32 IC 36-7-15.1-25
16 IC 10-7-5-12 IC 36-7-18-25
17 IC 10-7-6-21 IC 36-9-4-52

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1 IC 10-7-12-9 IC 36-9-11-10
 2 IC 14-33-20-27 IC 36-9-11.1-11
 3 IC 15-1.5-6-4 IC 36-9-13-36
 4 IC 16-22-6-34 IC 36-9-13-37
 5 IC 20-12-6-11 IC 36-9-30-31
 6 IC 20-12-7-5 IC 36-10-8-18
 7 IC 20-12-8-5 IC 36-10-9-18
 8 **IC 36-10-12-3**
 9 SECTION 2. IC 36-10-12 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
 10 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 11 JULY 1, 1999]:
 12 **Chapter 12. Acquisition of Historical Sites by Municipalities**
 13 **Sec. 1. This chapter applies to all cities and towns.**
 14 **Sec. 2. A municipality may acquire and hold battlegrounds or**
 15 **other historic sites for the purpose of maintaining or improving**
 16 **them for historical purposes. The acquisition of property under**
 17 **this section is for a public use, and title may be taken under the**
 18 **power of eminent domain.**
 19 **Sec. 3. Property acquired under this chapter is exempt from**
 20 **property taxation.**
 21 SECTION 3. IC 23-7-7 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
 22 1999].

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